

Response by María Orozo

**Q1**

**Irrigation water should be monitored on a continuous basis to verify its good quality**

**Q2**

**Mainly, do anything possible so the drinking water does not get contaminated more than it already is. If we do not care ourselves for the groundwater nobody will. The water must be taken care of for a better future and, our wellbeing**

**Q3**

**It is very important to conduct an investigation first and prohibit the usage of all those chemicals**

**Q4**

**Recycle everything that could lead to contamination**

**Q5**

**If those are chemical or natural wastes, they cannot be used anyway.**

**Q6**

**Officially denounce those companies with a high index of contamination and impose fines.**

**Q7**

**Mainly, keep an eye on how it is being used. Recycling of oils, plastics, tires, and discarding the garbage in the right place**

**Q8**

**I am sure they do have the financial means to have a prosperous crop, and also have sufficient water for the crops.**

**Q9**

**Work together for a better future and leave something positive for our children**

**Q10**

**When the owner is the one who is working the land – when there is a good crop – or when he does not have many people working for him, and when the crop will be successfully sold in the market**

**Q11**

**This issue is very important - without clean water our children will not thrive to become healthy teenagers**

**Q12**

**Evaluate if the irrigated lands exceeded their usage of fertilizers or another chemical product**

**Q13**

**I am hoping to be informed so I will be aware as to which kind of fertilizers or chemicals are being used on irrigated lands.**

**Q14**

**At this time I do not know, but I would like to be kept informed. This is very important for me.**

**Q15**

**It is very important that when the workers or owners are spraying they are supposed to do this at night. Here, in E. Orosi, they use a tractor and they spray in the form of a fan. Upon leaving the land, some of the chemicals they have sprayed are scattered by the wind. It smells bad. However, I understand that it is not recommended to spray during the day. This land is located right in front of my house.**